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Our policy of LOWEST PRICES on best Shoes has earned for us the appreciation and support of the people—has made our Shoe Department what it is today—the largest and most complete Shoe Department in Ste. Genevieve.

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LADIES' SHOES, 90cts. \$1.00 \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75
LADIES' OXFORDS, 80cts., 90cts., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.
CHILDREN'S SHOES, 35cts., 50cts., 75cts., \$1.00, \$1.10.
MENS' SHOES, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00.
MEN'S WORKING SHOES, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.35.
Giescke's Home-made Shoes, \$1.90.

An extra heavy, well made Working Shoe worth \$1.25, we will supply the trade at \$1.00.

The above Shoes are strictly first class goods.

Jokerst Bros. & Yealy.

THE FAIR PLAY.

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COURT CALENDAR.

CIRCUIT COURT.

James D. Fox, Judge. Fredericktown, Madison County.

Fourth Monday in April.

Fourth Monday in October.

PROBATE COURT.

John L. Boggs, Judge.

Third Monday in May.

Third Monday in August.

Third Monday in November.

Winter Term.

Third Monday in February.

Hon. A. P. Carson, Presiding Justice.

Hon. Joseph Hoffman, Associate Justice.

Hon. John A. Murphy, Associate Justice.

Spring Term.

First Monday in May.

First Monday in August.

First Monday in November.

Winter Term.

First Monday in February.

PRODUCE MARKET REPORT.

Butter \$10

Lard 5

Hams, canvassed 12

Hens 5

Turkeys 5

Old Roosters 1-2

Green Hides 6

Dry Flint Hides 9

Tallow 3

Bees' Wax 24

Eggs per dozen 6

Ducks 7

Geese 4

Navy Beans 90

Cornfield Beans 60

Corn 29

Oats 24

Hay, per cwt. 30

Sheep Pelts, each 25

Potatoes new 45

Sorghum, per gallon 25

Tub washed wool 23

Unwashed wool 12

Barley 13

Onions, per bushel 45

Bacon 6

Shoulders 1-2

Dried Apples 3

Dried Peaches 2

Hams, country 9

10

LIST OF LETTERS

Remain in the Post Office Friday

at 10 A. M.

August Bourke, Leo Gremont,

D. E. M. Gorton, Conrad Roth,

James Satter, George Tisher,

Jerry Woods, Henry Weber.

The creamery has closed down.

Cold Soda at all times at

LANNING'S DRUG STORE.

Don't forget the RACKET STORE

has a cyclone sale.

Another heavy wind and rain

storm passed over this section

Woolen underwear, slightly

damaged at half price.

RACKET STORE.

On account of the heavy rains

no mail was received here from

Bloomsdale and River aux Vases

this week. The creeks were very

high and it was impossible for the

carriers to cross.

Ice Cream Soda every Saturday

evening and Sunday at

LANNING'S DRUG STORE.

Binder Twine cheap

at JOKERST BROS. & YEALY.

The nine months' old daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Lalumondiere

of this city died on Wednesday

afternoon, June 23, 1897. The

remains were interred in the

Valle Spring Catholic cemetery

Thursday afternoon.

Now is the time to buy cheap

goods during the sale at RACKET

STORE.

I will be at the South-

ern Hotel on July

6th to remain two weeks.

THOS. G. RIX D. D. S.

The colored folks of Chester

will have an excursion to this

place tomorrow and a game of

ball will be played at Grobe's

Grove in the afternoon. The

colored baseball club of Farmington

will be here Sunday, July 4th.

FARMERS, you can get a good

dinner for 15 cents at Mrs. L.

Brown's restaurant on Market

street.

Blankets at less than half their

regular price at RACKET STORE.

Only slightly damaged.

A number of farmers residing

on the outskirts of the city will

meet at the Court House tomorrow

afternoon at half-past one

o'clock to discuss the stock law

recently adopted in our city. All

who are opposed to stock law are

invited to be present.

I am buying all kinds of produce,

also lambs and calves, and

will pay highest cash prices.

JOHN HERTER.

All goods damaged by storm

now on sale at 50 cents on the

dollar at the RACKET STORE.

About fifty of our citizens went

on the excursion from this place

to Perryville last Sunday and all

speak in the highest praise of the

treatment accorded them by the

Perryville people. The Union

State Concert Band accompanied

the excursion.

The regular meetings of the J.

Felix St. James Post No. 326, G.

A. R. will be held at 7 o'clock P.

M., on the second Saturday of

each month.

Remember the Milwaukee Chain

Power Mower is warranted to be

JOS. JANUARY gives lessons in

VIOLIN PLAYING. Joseph is a

piano-taking teacher and his

charges are very reasonable. Apply

at Mrs. Valentine's Restaurant.

There will be a match game of

base ball at Grobe's Grove Sunday,

June 27th, 1897, between the

St. Genevieve and Chester nines.

Refreshments will be served on

the grounds and the Colored

Brass Band of Chester will furnish

music during the game. Everybody

invited. Admission

10 and 5 cents. Ladies free.

We respectfully solicit our

bottle beer drinking friends to

drink St. Genevieve B. & L.

Ass'n. Bavaria Pale Export now

on sale in all saloons. Bottled

by the Schwenk Bottling Co. It

stimulates and strengthens the

body and nerves and makes life

worth living.

SCHWENK BOTTLING CO.

While attempting to cross the

slough in a wagon Wednesday

morning a son of Mr. Charles

Schilly narrowly escaped being

drowned. The horses got in

water beyond their depth and the

wagon box floated away with the

boy. Albert Feaman, who was

standing on the bank saw the

danger the boy was in and rescued

him with a skiff. The horses

swam over to the opposite shore

and were saved.

PICNIC—A grand picnic

for the celebration of the

Nation's birthday will be held at

BAUMSTARK'S PARK Monday,

July 5, by the J. Felix St. James

Post No. 326 G. A. R. Fine

music, the best refreshments and

all the stands for entertainment

and good luck will be there. The

veterans will keep strict order.

At night a splendid display of

fireworks will illuminate the

patriotic scene. Everybody is

cordially invited.

THE COMMITTEE.

The new law regulating the

burial of hogs that die of disease

went into effect the first of June.

Its provisions are very rigid and

if as rigidly enforced the chances

for an epidemic of cholera to

spread over the state will be re-

duced to a minimum. The new

law requires the owner of a hog

which has died from any disease

whatsoever to immediately bury

the same at least two feet under

the ground and such burial must

not be in any slough or ravine.

It is made the duty of township

constables to see that the law is

enforced.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—It is a

terrible accident to be burned or

About two months ago four men were arrested here for peddling without a license and placed in jail. A few days after three of these men broke jail and were never captured. The fourth was taken to Hillsboro and tried for breaking into a box car and sentenced to one year in the county jail at that place. From the Hillsboro papers we learn that this prisoner, whose name is Grant, escaped from the Hillsboro jail on the night of the 9th inst. and is still at liberty. It is claimed that parties on the outside helped Grant to escape.

W. R. Johnson, Newark, O., says, "One Minute Cough Cure saved my only child from dying by croup." It has saved thousands of others suffering from croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and other serious throat and lung troubles. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

If an ingenious man should invent an entirely new disease—a disease which existed only in his own imagination—and should ascribe to it a set of symptoms which are commonly felt by people who feel a little out of whack—he could convince any number of people that they had long been acute sufferers from that very disease. And if he should concoct a preparation of innocuous and pleasant tasting drugs, and advertise it widely and enthusiastically as a remedy for this disease, he could sell several oceans of it. If we mistake not, this has been done more than once, and what has been done can be done again. —Ex.

Six headache can be quickly and completely overcome by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers." R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

"The Wear case was not finally determined by the Supreme Court," says the Dunklin Democrat, "as many papers published it." The case was before Division No. 2. Judge Burgess favored reversing the lower court and discharging the prisoner, he holding that Judge Mauldin's discharge of the prisoner was final. Judge Gantt dissented, and as Judge Sherwood of this division of the court did not sit in the case, it was necessary to transfer the case to the court in banc—the whole court, composed of seven judges. The court may or may not adopt the opinion of Judge Burgess. Any how, the case is not settled finally yet. The bungling report of the case in the St. Louis papers easily lead many into the error of supposing that young Wear was free. —Farmington Times.

Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough Cure is easy to take and will do what it name implies. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

Ste. Genevieve and vicinity was visited by a tornado Saturday evening.

The wind came from the northwest and played havoc with roofs, chimneys, trees and fences in its path, and blew down several barns. The storm lasted for at least half an hour. The Cone Mills suffered the most damage. Part of the tin roof was taken off and both smoke stacks were blown down. Superintendent Colgan estimates the damage to the mill at \$700. Large trees were uprooted and in places orchards were utterly ruined. About forty fine apple trees in Capt. St. Gem's orchard were blown down and he also lost the roof on his kitchen. He places his damage at \$250. Barns belonging to Joseph B. Bahr, H. C. Ziegler and Emmet McBride were blown over and part of the Dechemendy house was unroofed. Chimneys were blown off of several houses in town. During the storm lightning struck the warehouse at Little Rock landing, setting the building afire, but it was quickly extinguished. From all over the surrounding country comes reports of the damage done by the storm. It was the worst that ever visited Ste. Genevieve and our people were badly frightened. Commissioner Grieshaber was busy several days this week with a force of men clearing away the wreckage of trees. Every yard in town contained some trees that had been blown down by the heavy wind.

Not only piles of the very worst kind can be cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, but eczema, scalds, burns, bruises, boils, ulcers and all other skin troubles can be instantly relieved by the same remedy. R. W. Lanning, Ste. Genevieve, E. S. Lawbaugh, St. Mary's.

Ste. Genevieve Lodge K. of P. No. 306 meets next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock P. M. Work in the rank of Esquire. Visiting Knights are cordially invited. —LOUIS DOERKE, JOHN W. SCHWENK, C. C. K. of R. & S.

THE - RACKET - STORE

HAS MOVED TO THE

ALLIANCE STORE,

NEW GOODS, NEW CHEAP PRICES,

Groceries, Clothing, Shoes, Hats,
Gents' Furnishing Goods, Millinery, White Goods,
Notions, Tinware.

Best 35 cent Coffee, - 25 cents per pound.
Cigarettes, - 60 for 10 cents.
Fine Table Salt, - 3 bags for 10 cents.
Star Lye, - 10 cent boxes for 5 cents.
Battle Axe Tobacco, - 20 cents per pound.

2 Pounds Arbuckle Coffee, - 25 Cents.
Best Tea from - 30 to 40 Cents per Pound.

We Cannot Mention all. Everything is Cheap.

Good Working Pants, 50c. Good Working Pants, - 75c.
All Wool Pants, - \$1.00. Nice Sunday Pants, - \$1.50.
Nice Sunday Shoes, \$1.50. Good Working Shoes - \$1.00.

Tinware for Half Price.

Remember the Place:

RACKET STORE,

IN THE OLD HAMM BUILDING,

Opposite Court House.

PERSONAL.

—Dr. M. Andre visited Highland,

Ill., this week.

—Mr. James M. Mahony of Bunker

Hill, Ill., is here on a visit.

—Miss Lucie Rozier returned home

from St. Louis Monday night.

—Miss Blanche Ziegler has returned

home from a visit to St. Louis.

—Robert Burns and Leo Ingemann

of St. Louis are here on a visit.

—Mr. L. Rubenstein of the Racket

Store spent Thursday in St. Louis.

—Mr. Felix Rozier took passage on

the Grey Eagle for St. Louis Saturday.

—George Seitz and Tom Conner

were over from Prairie du Rocher

Sunday.

—Misses Mamie and Lottie Boeh-

men of St. Louis are visiting friends

in our city.

—Mrs. Joseph Boggs of St. Louis is

visiting the family of Mr. John L.

Boggs in our city.

—Miss Annie Jokerst arrived here

from St. Louis Saturday night on a

visit to her parents.

—Mr. Joseph C. Ziegler and family